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RESPONSE TO NOTICE NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Karin Reichle

Sir:

Examiner:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed December 19, 2002, applicant submits the following response and Amendment.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Three Times Amended) A disposable diaper comprising: